

REMARKS

The Examiner has stated that claims 12-19 are allowed and claims 1-11 and 20-30 would be allowable once minor objections were correct. Applicants gratefully acknowledge the Examiner's indication of allowable subject matter.

In response, Applicants have amended claims 1 and 20 to correct claims 1 and 20 as the Examiner has suggested. Applicants believe claims 1-11 and 20 to 30 are now in condition for allowance.

The Examiner objected to the Oath file on February 3, 2004 stating "the information regarding the fourth inventor, Gregory Mann is not clear. Particularly the residence address."

In response Applicants have attached a Supplemental Declaration signed by Gregory J. Mann indicating he was a first true inventor along with the Inventors indicated in the Original Declaration.

CONCLUSION

Based on the preceding arguments, Applicants respectfully believe that all pending claims and the entire application meet the acceptance criteria for allowance and therefore request favorable action. If Examiner believes that anything further would be helpful to place the application in better condition for allowance, Applicants invite the Examiner to contact the Applicants' representative at the telephone number listed below. The Director is hereby authorized to charge and/or credit Deposit Account 09-0457.

Respectfully submitted,
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